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## HAVE A STANDING COMMITTEE

### Larger Work Suggested for Committee on Harbor Inducement

It has been suggested that the committee appointed by the city government to invite railroad officials here with the view of inspecting the harbor for a big terminal point, be kept awake at all times and work this matter for all it is worth on all occasions.

Lynn and Salem have arranged for the development of their harbors with the expectation of catching some of the business the railroad is going to offer outside of Boston and Portland.

It looks good for Portsmouth if the matter can be pushed, for the reason that it will take millions of dollars to make a harbor at any other place on the line of the Eastern division of the Boston and Maine railroad fit for the commercial business while Portsmouth harbor is already made by nature and without the expenditure of one dollar has the finest port in this country.

A few new wharves are needed

and such land as may be needed is purchasable at very low figures.

Let the people of Kittery and New Castle enter in this matter with the same spirit as Portsmouth and help to develop their seaboard.

If Lynn, Salem and Newburyport can develop harbors with money and Portsmouth can do it without money to any great amount, let's go ahead and do it. We have made a start, let's keep it moving. Messrs. Committeemen, and there is bound to be some good results.

#### SULTAN'S SON

### To Have a Ride in One of Uncle Sam's Battleships

Washington, Jan. 15—American battleships will pass through the forbidden waters of the Dardanelles and anchor in sight of the Turkish

capital if Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder, in command of a squadron now at Smyrna, thinks it desirable to take his four ships there. So far as the Turkish government is concerned, the whole fleet would be welcome at Constantinople—a distinction that cannot be claimed by the ships of any other nation.

The Turkish government, through Ambassador Kasien Bey, has invited the whole or any part of Admiral Sperry's fleet to call at the Turkish capital and be entertained. The invitation as to the whole fleet has been regretfully declined for lack of time.

The Sultan has done ever more. He has asked permission for a son of the Sultan and ten officers of the Turkish navy to join the fleet for its sail to home ports for the purpose of enabling them to get an idea as to what the warships of a first class fighting nation look like and how they are manned and managed.

Permission has been granted for the passage of the Sultan's son and the naval officers. They will be the guests of Admiral Sperry and the other officers of the fleet. The question of whether any of the American ships shall pass through the closed straits has been left to Admiral Schroeder. If he deems that inadvisable a party of his officers will proceed to Constantinople to accept the hospitalities extended.

The big five did a little business on Thursday evening at City Hall.

## THE CITY COUNCIL

### ELECTS OFFICERS

John D. Randall Succeeds Chief David E. Junkins, and John D. Yarwood Assessor Ralph Walker

Mayor Adams and the new city council held their first business meeting of the year on Thursday evening, and transacted a large amount of business, the most important of which was the election of the city officials. With two exceptions the old officials were returned to office.

These exceptions were chief engineer of the fire department, to which former chief John D. Randall was elected, and for the assessor of taxes for six years, in which John G. Yarwood displaces Ralph C. Walker as the Democrat member of the board. In both cases it was a vote of five to four. Councilmen Blaisdell, Leary, Payne, Eastman and Newick voting together.

The meeting was called to order at 7.45 by Mayor Adams and all of the council were in their places. The records of the last meeting were read and the resignation of

## FEW BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE LEGISLATURE

### A Big Rush of New Measures Likely to Come Next Week

Concord, Jan. 15—The legislature transacted only the routine today and adjourned to Monday evening.

#### Thursday in the Senate

Thursday morning, prior to the opening of the Senate session by President Lord, the members proceeded to the house for the first time since the legislature convened. Rev. David Fraser of Manchester was elected chaplain of the house on a resolution presented by a special committee appointed last week to select a chaplain. This committee, of which Mr. Hurd of Manchester was chairman, took two ballots before arriving at a choice. On the first ballot Mr. Fraser had five votes, Rev. C. C. Garland of Concord had four and Rev. W. A. Loyne of Laconia had one. On the second ballot Mr. Fraser had six votes and was elected.

After the Senate returned to its chamber, the report of the committee appointed to assign committee rooms was heard and accepted. The meeting places are the same as at last session. At the afternoon session the Senate received a message from the house relating to attendance by the members at morning prayers. On motion of Senator Sanborn of Hampton Falls the resolution was concurred in.

#### Thursday in the House

The Senate came in to prayers, at which Rev. Daniel S. Jenks, a member of the house from Franklin, officiated.

A number of important bills were introduced in the morning, including one which provided for an appropriation of \$85,000 for a heat, light and power plant and other improvements at the state hospital for the insane; a resolution appropriating \$27,500 for a state armory at Berlin, and another appropriating \$20,000 for an armory at Laconia. Mr. Toothaker of Berlin also introduced a bill for a state normal school, similar to that which was left in the batch of unfinished business at the last session. The same struggle for location for the proposed school is expected between Manchester, Nashua, Keene and other places as occurred two years ago.

An act to exempt the District Nursing Association of Manchester from taxation was introduced by Mr. Wyman and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Stevenson of Exeter introduced a bill to compel telephone companies to install telephones for a period of three months at the same proportionate rates as the charge on yearly contracts, plus the cost of installation.

Brooks of Seabrook introduced a bill to have the open season on plovers, yellow leg, duck, etc., begin July 15, instead of Oct. 1.

Mr. Adolph Wagner of Manchester introduced a bill to exempt musical entertainments and lectures held for

#### Capital Talk and Incidents

Aside from the tax commission bills, only about fifty bills have been offered in the two weeks, and those entirely in the house. It was formerly the practice that few bills originated in the Senate, and the record thus far indicates that such a policy may be the intent of the present senators. The last day for the introduction of bills by individual members under the rules is Tuesday, Jan. 26, one week from next Tuesday. At recent sessions, at such limit there have been usually between 400 and 500 bills docketed in the house. If this session holds up to that record, the legislative days of next week will be busy ones.

Representative Toothaker's bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cocaine and preparations containing

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One of the principal features of this sale will be a DOLLAR table, and without any doubt whatever it will contain the most extraordinary values ever put on sale ANYWHERE. Come and see for yourself. Early purchasers get the first choice.

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One Chocolate Set, red and white, gold decorations, gold handled, regular price 9.50, sale price 6.50	French China Sugar and Cream Set, hand painted, regular price 5.00, sale price 3.50
One White and Gold Jeweled Chocolate Set, regular price 10.00, sale price 7.75	French China Sugar and Cream, was 3.00, now 1.75
One Salad Set, old Ivory, 6 salad plates and one bowl, regular price 5.00, now 3.75	Chocolate Pots, regular prices 75c, 1.00 and 1.50, choice at 5.69c
One hand painted Salad Set, 6 plates and bowl, regular price 4.75, sale price 2.98	Tea Set, 3 pieces, Cobalt Blue and Gold, was 4.00, sale price 2.25
One Salad Set, old ivory, gold stippled edges, regular price 7.75, sale price 5.00	German China Chop Plates, were 1.00, now 50c
Cake Plate, Gold and Cobalt Blue, regular price 3.00, sale price 1.75	French China Chop Plate, was 2.50, now 1.50
Cake Plates, Old Ivory, were 2.00, now 1.50	French China Cracker Jars, were 2.50, now 1.75
Sugar and Creams, floral and gold decorated, were 50c set, now 39c	Japanese Cracker Jar, green and gold, was 3.00, now 2.00
Bohemian Glass Comports, 12 inches high, regular price 3.98, sale price 2.25	Salad Bowls and Plates, large assortment, were 1.00 and 1.50, now 1.75
Bohemian Glass Water Set, crystal and gold, large jug and 6 tumblers, regular price 10.00, sale price 7.00	Bread and Butter plates, all 25c goods, for this sale at 15c each
Austrian Green Vases, were 1.00, now 75c	Red and Gold Plates, regular price 1.00, 50c
	Japanese Cups and Saucers, 25c value, 15c
	Salads and Cake Plates, 50c goods, 25c
	Lot of Stems and Tobacco Jars at half price

### ON THE DOLLAR TABLE

You will find Plates, Bowls, Jugs, Sugar and Creams, Vases, Trays and many other useful articles, and nothing that was sold for less than \$1.50 each and up to \$2.50 each

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ward H. Adams as a member of the Sinking Fund Commission was received and accepted.

#### Election of Officers

At the suggestion of the Mayor, the council proceeded to the election of the city officials, the roll call being made in every case.

The following was the result:

Street Commissioner, Reluzi Ridge.  
City Physician, Dr. Charles E. Johnston.

Chief Engineer John D. Randall received five votes to David E. Junkins four, and he was elected.

First Assistant Engineer, Joseph Akerman.

Second Assistant Engineer, William F. Woods.

City Messenger, Elmer E. Clark.

City Treasurer, John C. Batchelder.

Collector of Taxes, Walter H. Page.

City Auditor, Harry B. Pryor.

City Solicitor, Guy E. Corey.

Overseer of the Poor, Hiram C. Locke.

Member of the Board of Health for three years, James H. Dow.

City Inspector William H. Young had seven and J. E. Healey had two, and Mr. Young was elected.

Councilmen Smart and Brewster voting for Mr. Healey.

Inspector of Wires and Poles, William M. Ballard.

Superintendent of Burying Ground, James P. Griffin.

Inspector of Plumbing, John A. Cornhill, five, and Ernest Bogard had four, and the former was elected. Councilmen Smart, Brewster, Eastman and White voted for Mr. Bogard.

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

James W. Watkins and Charles G. Fernald.

Keeper of the Powder Magazine, George B. Chadwick.

Inspector of Flour, Henry A. Yeager.

Inspector of Wires William Ballard.

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A MAN WITHOUT GUILT

Samuel W. Dibble, literary editor of the Atlanta Constitution, has recently published in that paper an article which bemoans the lack of southern magazine literature, and pays high praise to Joel Chandler Harris for the peculiar genius which that lamented Georgian showed in the methods employed on the "Uncle Remus" Old Home Magazine. Mr. Dibble overlooks the literature of the South which has been the great obstacle in the way of the many serious attempts to establish a southern magazine, and which has, happily, been so far abated that the time may possibly be ripe for the Harris enterprise to achieve a success. Certainly the literary interests of the nation require that Julian Harris shall keep up the splendid work originated by his father.

The conspicuous feature of Mr. Dibble's panegyric, however, is this personal tribute to the man with whom the world had a literary acquaintance: "Joel Chandler Harris believed all men innocent until they were proven guilty. He was not guileless to the extent that he denied the existence of evil, but he viewed it only as good on a vacation."

That is a rare quality in mankind, and oh, how this cynical old world loves the man of whom such a thing can be truly said. Most of us have at some time met "Abou Ben Adhem" in real life, and we and all the rest of the world have responded with love to the comfort of the presence of the man who loved his fellow men.

We and everybody else who read Joel Chandler Harris' writings have enjoyed them for the optimism that is in them and for their radiation of a cheerful faith in the goodness of mankind. Somehow we realized the kind of a man that he was and it seems exactly right to be told these words which were found in the Atlanta Constitution.

Long life and a blessed memory is what the world asks for the men who are helpful and who bring rather than knock.

**SALVATION ARMY**

The Salvation Army Captain and Mrs. Curry, who have been assisting Adjutant M. E. Radcliffe through the Christmas work, will farewell on Sunday night. A special farewell meeting will be conducted by Captain and Mrs. Curry.

On Tuesday night, Captain and Mrs. Knox of Claremont will have charge of the meeting.

Meetings every night at eight o'clock, led by Adjutant M. E. Radcliffe.

Captain and Mrs. Curry came here from Portland. They are going to Bangor to serve as assistants to Ensign Armstrong.

**THE CITY COUNCIL**  
**ELECTS OFFICERS**  
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H. Walker, the present member, had four, and John G. Yarwood had five, and he was declared elected. Councilmen Boynton, Smart, Brewster and White voted for Mr. Walker.

Member of the Sinking Fund Commission, Wallace Hackett.

Port Wardens, Rufus N. Adams, Robert H. Greene and Robert R. Lear.

Inspector of Petroleum, Frank Horrocks.

Surveyors of Lumber, R. I. Sugden, Thomas E. Call.

Examiners of Plumbers, John C. Cornelius, William P. Young and Charles E. Johnston.

The latter were appointed by Mayor Adams, who stated that he would leave over for a time the appointment of a Tree Warden and a City Engineer. He appointed Charles A. Hazlett as a member of the Park Commission for three years, and it was confirmed.

**Adopt the Same Rules**

A resolution offered by Councilman Smart to the effect that the rules of the last board be adopted, was passed.

A communication was received from the Colored People's Society, asking that the Council assist them in the observance of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Lincoln by having the church bells rung as on the Fourth of July. The Council were also invited to be present at the exercises.

It was left to the Mayor with power.

**Want Harbor Inspected**

A communication was received from the Harbor Improvement society through the secretary asking that a committee be appointed to invite the officials of the railroads of this country and Canada to visit and inspect this city and harbor with a view of making it a terminal. Mayor Adams appointed the following committee: Ernest Holmes from the Board of Trade, Gustave Peyser from the Merchants Exchange, O. L. Frisbee from the Harbor Improvement Society, and Captain T. B. Hoyt from the Piscataqua Harbor, No. 52, Masters, Mates and Pilots, and Councilman H. P. Payne.

A letter was received from George N. Jones calling attention to certain things needed at the central fire station. It was referred to the Chief Engineer.


**Wants to Locate in This City**

A petition was received from Charles A. Davis of Haverhill, for a permit to erect a slaughter house and rendering plant at the Huntress Place on the Newington line.

Lawyer J. W. Kelley appeared for Mr. Davis, and said that Mr. Davis wanted to locate a plant on the Huntress property, now owned by John G. Sweetser. It was between the Dover line and the river and the last house in Portsmouth, at the Newington line. Mr. Davis had been in business in Haverhill, Newburyport and Bradford, and had recently sold out to the Trust, and now wanted to do business in this state. His plan was to erect a plant that would cost about \$200,000 at once, and he would at first employ about fifteen men. The location was about a quarter of a mile away from any other house in that vicinity, and the plant would be modern in every way. Mr. Davis would refer them for his business standing to any business agency. Mr. Davis was present with his counsel.

On motion of Councilman White, petition was granted, subject to the usual restrictions of the Board of Health, and the City Clerk was empowered to issue the permit. Mayor Adams stated that it was necessary for the Council to act on such matters and to delegate the power to the Clerk.

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**FROM EXETER**

**Pythians Visit This City Tonight**

**Athletic Association Has Benefit Ball**

**Foresters of America Hold Installation**

**Meetings of Church, Literary and Musical Clubs**

Exeter, Jan. 15.

Lincoln Fields, operator at the People's Telephone Company, who has been confined to the hospital for the past six weeks, has so far improved that he was discharged on Thursday.

A large delegation of members of Frank E. Rollins Company, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, will attend the inspection and installation of officers of the Portsmouth company in that city this evening. The work will be done by Colonel F. W. Sanford of this town. They will leave on the six o'clock car and return on the twelve.

Mrs. Walter Gallant was in Newmarket on Thursday.

The dance held in the town hall on Thursday evening for the benefit of the Exeter Athletic Association baseball team was fairly well attended considering the stormy weather.

Court Wheelwright, Foresters of America, held its installation of officers on Thursday evening. Those installed were: Chief ranger, David Broderick; sub-chief ranger, William E. Callahan; treasurer, Thomas J. Keane; financial secretary, Thomas Smith; senior woodward, Roderick J. Chisholm; junior woodward, Emanuel Gallant; senior headle, John C. Robinson; junior headle, Harold A. Shaw; lecturer, Edward N. Fuller; trustee for three years, Luke Leighton. One candidate was initiated during the evening. During the last year there has been a net gain of eleven members, making a total membership at present, of 149. The balance in the treasury is \$2803 and during the year the receipts have been \$1256 and the expenses \$972.

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The petition of the Harbor Improvement Association for a suitable floating stage on the river front was referred to the committee on City Lands and Buildings.

**Reports**

The annual report of the Sinking Fund Commissioner was made and accepted and placed on file. The report shows the bonded debt of the city to be \$1,176,000. The report cited the fact also that the usual amount had not been received from the Water Commissioners this year, and suggested that some arrangement be made to have it paid.

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The payroll for the present month was submitted and the Mayor authorized to draw his warrant for the money when due.

The City Auditor was ordered to notify the heads of departments to have their estimates for the year in the hands of the finance committee by the 25th of the month.

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Lands and Buildings — Blaisdell, Boynton, Newick.

Street Lights — Eastman, Smart, White.

Printing — Payne, Newick, Brewster.

Public Library — White, Boynton, Eastman.

Sewers — Smart, White, Leary.

Streets — Mayor, Newick, Eastman, Payne.

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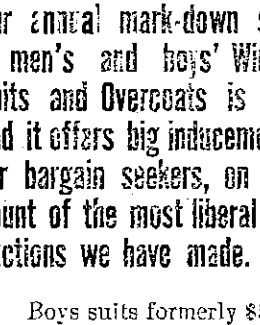
The bill provides for a \$50,000 loan and that the entire act shall become void and of no effect unless the city or town determined as already provided to become the shire town of said county, shall have raised before the first day of January, 1910, a sum of money equivalent to the fair value of the present county buildings at Alfred, and pay the same to the treasurer of said county to be used in degrading the expense of erecting the said new county buildings. The fair value of these buildings is to be determined by the county commissioners. Whichever town is designated as the shire town is authorized to raise such sum.

In the house Representative Chase of York has introduced a bill to set off a portion of the town of Kennebunkport in which Cape Porpoise is located and to name it Arundel.

**DEATH OF MRS. ROBERT M. BROWN**

Mrs. Fanny Plimpton Brown, wife of Robert Marshall Brown (formerly principal of Portsmouth High school and now professor of geography at state Normal school, Worcester, Mass.), departed this life at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Plimpton, Florence, Mass., early Wednesday morning, January 13th, after a long period of illness.

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## EVENTS OF ELIOT

## Hopes for the Railroad to Cross Eliot Neck

## Raymond York Has Big Success At Trapping Muskrats

Eliot, Me., Jan. 15. Representative C. Edward Bartlett of this town has been chosen secretary to the Maine legislature committee on railroads.

Postmaster Harry L. Staples of South Eliot spent Thursday at Boston, in attendance on the poultry show.

Raymond York is at the top among

the boys who are trapping muskrats. He got seven in twelve traps on Thursday morning.

There is great expectation in this town of the new railroad bridge crossing the river at the Eliot Neck narrows and the railroad then running east till it strikes the main line of the Eastern division pretty near North Kittery but within the town limits of Eliot. That would necessitate a long fill and a large culvert at Spinner's Creek. The hope is universally expressed that when the new railroad bridge comes into use an arrangement can be made for the trolley cars to run into Portsmouth over the present bridge and do away with the ferry.

MRS. ELIZABETH J. PEVERLY

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Peverly of Newington died on Thursday, aged eighty years.

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## KITTERY LETTER

## Rebekah Lodge Has Installation

## Suprise Party Given a Popular Youth

## Officers Elected by Kittery Yacht Club

## Mrs Pierce Wins Her Suit Against the Atlantic Shore Line

Kittery, Me., Jan. 15. Thursday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall the following officers of York Rebekah Lodge, No. 3, were installed by Mrs. Iona Call, district deputy: Noble grand, Mrs. Ella Keene; vice grand, Mrs. Virginia Williams; recording secretary, Almenia McIntire; financial secretary, Mrs. Abbie Philbrick; treasurer, Mrs. Annie Boulter; warden, Mrs. Katherine Stacy; conductor, Mrs. Grace Martien; right supporter to noble grand, Mrs. Angelia Hayes; left supporter to noble grand, Mrs. Iona Call; inside guardian, Mrs. Delia Hatch; outside guardian, Herman Manson; chaplain, Mrs. Florence Parker; pianist, Rev. E. H. Macy. The large company present enjoyed refreshments of cake and cocoa following the installations.

Mrs. Percival Rogers is entertaining her sister from Freeport, at her home on Government street.

Mr. Henry B. Shaw is slowly improving from his illness.

For all of the latest local news order the Herald for three months delivered at your home for one dollar.

A meeting of the official board of the Second Methodist church will be held this evening at the church.

Mr. George O. Althorne, formerly sheriff of York county, has opened an insurance and real estate office in the Hayes block.

Col. Jethro H. Sweet has arrived home from his business trip to Augusta and is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Rebecca E. Packard of Rice avenue, who is in Boston for treatment, is slowly improving and expects to return home soon.

Tonight in the First Methodist church there will be a handkerchief bazaar.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, the sons and daughters of this town will hold their second reunion in Boston in Kingsley Hall.

A number of the young friends of Master Clifford Jenkins gave him a surprise party on Thursday evening at his home on Government street. Games were played after which refreshments were served and the time from 7.30 to 10 passed all too quickly for the young folks.

Mrs. Sarah F. Pierce was this morning in the supreme court at Sees awarded a verdict of \$2726.42 in her suit against the Atlantic Shore Line railway for injuries received while a passenger in one of the cars in the collision at Kennard's Corner, Eliot, on Aug. 7, 1907.

Crystal Chapter, Epworth League, will hold a special business meeting at seven o'clock this evening in the Hill Memorial Hall.

## Kittery Point

At the annual meeting held on Thursday evening in the club house the Kittery Yacht Club elected the following officers: Commodore, T. B. Hoyt; vice commodore, Frank Robbins; treasurer, George O. Wilcox, Jr.; secretary, Charles Bridges.

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Acet sergeant, Dr. J. C. Carty; fleet captain, Frank Getchell; directors for three years, Anderson Tobey, George Frost; director for one year, Fred Chase; chairman of board of directors for 1909, George H. Terry. The business session was followed by refreshments, the principal dish being a delicious oyster stew. There was a good attendance and the members feel assured of a good season.

Capt. T. B. Hoyt will start for Washington on Saturday. He goes as representative from the local harbor to the grand harbor of the American Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots. Mrs. Hoyt will accompany him as far as Boston.

Miss Herbie Keen of Ogunquit is visiting her father, Mark W. Keen. Mrs. Thurston Patch returned today from Newport, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ray Paul, for three weeks.

The Junior Band of the Free Baptist church will meet with Mrs. V. E. Dragdon Saturday afternoon.

Horace Mitchell and George Blaisdell attended the Boston poultry show on Thursday.

The five retiring officers of the Kittery Yacht Club presented the club with a framed group picture of themselves. The club has recommended that a telephone be installed in the house, and voted to have a smoke talk on Feb. 22.

## MANY PEOPLE HERE HAD IT FILLED

## No Sufferer of Kidney Trouble or Rheumatism Should Leave This Home Recipe Untried

That the readers of this paper appreciate advice when given in good faith is plainly demonstrated by the fact that one well-known local pharmacy supplied the ingredients for the "vegetable prescription" many times within the past two weeks. The announcement of this simple, harmless mixture has certainly accomplished much in reducing the great many cases of kidney complaint and rheumatism here, relieving pain and misery, especially among the older population, who are always suffering more or less with bladder and urinary troubles, backache and particularly rheumatism.

Another well-known druggist asks us to continue the announcement of the prescription. It is doing so much real good here, he continues, that it would be a crime not to do so. It can not be repeated too often, and further states many cases of remarkable cures wrought.

The following is the prescription: Of simple ingredients, making a harmless, inexpensive compound, which any person can prepare by shaking well in a bottle: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Any first-class drug store will sell this small amount of each ingredient, and the dose for adults is one teaspoonful to be taken after each meal and again at bedtime. There is enough here to last for one week, if taken according to directions. Good results will be apparent from the first few doses.

## A GREAT MOVING PICTURE SHOW

The Hadley Show the Best That Has Ever Played in This City

The Hadley Moving Picture show which appeared at Music Hall on Thursday afternoon and evening presented the best show of its kind that has ever been seen in this city. There was a practically continuous performance for over two hours, and in that time some wonderfully fine films were shown. They were mostly European, and included one especially attractive, of Venice. Another was the meeting of Emperor William and the King of Italy; still another was a picture of King Edward and the Queen of England attending a military show in England, and others equally as good. A tour of ancient Rome was interesting, showing the principal points of interest. The comedy films were all funny and new. There was a fair-sized crowd at the afternoon show and a large audience in the evening.

## VOLUNTEER LIFE SAVERS

Two members of the volunteer life saving crew at Hampton Beach have been in this city for the past few days soliciting funds to carry on the work in the summer of 1909.

It is understood they met with generous responses in the matter and will have a more active crew than ever at the beach next summer.

## FEW BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE LEGISLATURE

(Continued from first page)

coraine is a copy of the Massachusetts law on that subject except that sale of the drug is allowed on physicians' prescriptions. The penalty for violations is a fine of not more than \$100 or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both.

The Woodstock & Thornton Gore railroad, for whose incorporation Representative Woodbury of Woodstock asks, would tap the rich timber lands owned by the Woodstock Lumber Company and be in effect a part of the plant of that company, which owns thousands of acres of the best spruce left in this state.

No proposition has yet been heard to make Friday a working day and both branches passed the customary resolution of many sessions of Thursday, for early meeting on Friday morning and late Monday evening.

Edward T. Hayes of Keene has been appointed stenographer to the judiciary committee and George E. Horton of Dover messenger. Miss Rose M. Clancy of Concord is stenographer to the committee on appropriations.

A determined effort is to be made in the present legislature to secure municipal suffrage rights for women. The movement, which is led by the Concord Equal Suffrage Association and which is actively supported by the other like associations of the state, has since its initiation been prosecuted with the utmost vigor and promises to continue with unabated zeal till the campaign ends in either victory or defeat for the promoters of the reform. The Concord association, headed by Mrs. Agnes M. Jenks, will distribute equal rights literature and, with similar organizations through the state, will assist in obtaining signatures for a petition containing many hundreds of names, which will be sent to the general court, demanding the enactment of the woman suffrage measure.

## HAIN'S JURY STILL OUT

Flushing, N. Y., Jan. 15.—A three o'clock this afternoon jury was still out in the case of Thornton Jenkins Hains, on trial for procuring the murder of William E. Anna.

REV. DR. RUFUS W. CLARK

News has been received of the death in Columbus, Ohio, of Rev. Rufus W. Clark D. D., formerly pastor of St. John's church in this city. He went from Portsmouth to Detroit, and at the time of his death was missionary secretary for the sixth district of the Protestant Episcopal church.

He was a native of Portsmouth, having been born here in 1817.

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Ladies' \$5 to \$20 Fur, reduced to from \$2 to \$15.

Ladies' \$5 to \$15 Skirts, reduced to from \$2 to \$5.

Ladies' \$1 to \$2 Hats, reduced to \$1.75 to \$4.

Children's \$3 to \$5 Coats, reduced to \$1.25 to 4.50.

Prices on Ladies' Waists, Silk and Mercerized Petticoats and Men's and Boy's clothing reduced accordingly.

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the sight will be assisted.

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 W. F. Cousins, Ogunquit, Me.  
 H. G. Moulton, Wells Corner, Me.

## THE WEATHER

Yesterday's clouds blew away in the night and today has been sunny and warm enough to melt a considerable portion of the five inches of snow.

The two o'clock temperature was forty-eight degrees.

## CITY BRIEFS

Tremendous mark-down sale in shoes. Duncan & Storer.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

Be sure and look in Duncan and Storer's windows at their shoe bargains.

It is understood that Ralph Walker will be elected clerk of the board of assessors.

Food Sale at the North Church Chapel.

The snow of Friday evening

changed to rain and it make the walking very slippery.

The stage "when the days begin

to lengthen the cold begins to strengthen" fell late this time.

Tremendous mark-down sale in

men's, women's and children's shoes.

Duncan & Storer.

The members of the legislature

came home on Thursday evening.

The session today is devoid of interest.

Try Dr. Tobin's Tooth paste. It

has the fragrance of the rose. For

sale at druggists and all department

stores. Price twenty-five cents.

The Rockingham Light and Power

Company is supplying some power

to operate the cars on the Atlantic

Shore Line.

Food Sale at the North church

chapel Saturday, from one to eight

o'clock. Pies, cake, bread and

candy.

You can duplicate any part for any

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part fits perfectly. They never

changed the model of a Cadillac en-

gine. Ask other makes about it—

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John Milton and his religious

poems will be the topic tonight at

the North church mid-week meeting

in the chapel on Middle street. Rev.

L. H. Thayer, the pastor, hopes to

welcome a good number of people

who find the topic interesting.

A detective from Pittsburg, Pa.,

is here with a warrant for the ar-

rest of a prisoner at the navy yard,

who will shortly finish his sentence.

He was in Concord on Thursday and

got the required requisition papers.

One Week Sale. Gold-filled Eye-

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ined free by the new scientific meth-

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ple, Chicago, dealer of all eye

troubles, 12 Market square. I can

save you one-half in prices on

glasses.

## W. C. T. U. NOTES

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union held a very interesting meeting on Thursday.

Papers were read by Mrs. James Bilbrack and Mrs. Frances Pettibone giving very interesting facts of the growth of the temperance work during 1908. In our own state the molasses victories have cleared Belknap county up entirely from the licensed saloon and given us three counties with only one town each in the license column (Cheshire, Sullivan and Carroll) and the women helped bring this about.

A temperance poem was read by Mrs. Martha Rhodes and the recognition service given to three new members by Miss Lizzie D. Tripp.

At the next meet, Jan. 29, "The Declaration of Our Principles" will be discussed.

LIZZIE D. TRIPP,

Corresponding Secretary.

STRAWBERRY BANK  
GRANGE OFFICERSMaster Benfield and the Others  
Have Been Installed

The officers of Strawberry Bank Grange were installed on Thursday evening at their hall in Freeman's block.

The installing officer was District Deputy Charles H. Brackett of Greenland and suite and he did the work in his usual thorough and efficient manner.

There was a large attendance and the social hour and supper that followed were thoroughly enjoyed.

The following were the officers who took office.

Master, Amos O. Benfield.  
 Overseer, J. E. Harold.  
 Lecturer, Mrs. George A. Small.

Chaplain, Mrs. Susan Townsend.  
 Steward, George P. Knight.  
 Assistant Steward, Duncan Cameron.

Secretary, Miss Lizzie Currier.  
 Treasurer, Mrs. Carrie Richardson.

Ceres, Mrs. A. O. Benfield.  
 Pomona, Miss Hattie Richardson.  
 Flora, Miss Ethel Vennard.  
 Lady Assistant Steward, Miss Alice Newton.

STEALING PAY OF  
FELLOW WORKMANNaval Prisoner to Face Charge  
When He Is Released

Edward Distel, chief of detectives on the Pennsylvania railroad, came here today from Pittsburg in search of a man named John Charles Shannon, wanted for larceny and forgery. The officer located the man at the naval prison where he is completing a year's term for desertion.

Shannon, who was a fireman on the U. S. S. Washington, was granted a leave of absence for ten days, after which he deserted. Following his desertion he obtained money to the amount of \$66.00 by signing a pay roll of the Pennsylvania railroad, using the name of a brakeman. He was later arrested in Ohio by the naval department and sentenced to League Island yard to the naval prison here.

The grand jury of Pittsburg indicted him on three counts on which his arrest followed here. Officer Distel is armed with the necessary papers to take his prisoner back to Pennsylvania and will leave with him on Saturday.

Shannon has a bad record in the navy and the government is probably glad to get rid of him.

THE NAVY YARDS  
HERE AND AWAY

## More Sports Coming to the Front

The sporting blood among the yards and docks force of firemen at the central power plant are out with a bowling team and would like to get up against some of the several other teams in the yard which have a record. They also have a basketball combination who want a contest and have plenty of coin to put out on the knights of the shovel and slice bar.

## Another Navy Sensation

Naval Constructor Holden A. Evans, head of the department of construction and repair at the Mare Island yard, who was a visitor here last summer, has inked a suit against his wife for divorce. The plaintiff claims that his wife, Maud Evans, has been very friendly with another officer, F. W. Osborn, Jr., of the U. S. S. Wyoming. His wife for a time was a brilliant light on the English stage and was married to Constructor Evans in 1897, while the constructor was abroad. The affair has caused quite a mild sensation in navy circles and on the Pacific slope.

## Hannibal Arrived This Afternoon

The collier Hannibal with chains for the several yards along the coast, arrived here from Boston today at 1 p. m. She came direct to the yard and tied up at the quay wall.

## Pulling Them Through

The yards and docks electrical force is busy placing many of the lines of wires under ground. At

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LIEUTENANT WASHBURN TO BE  
REGIMENTAL QUARTERMASTERPopular Portsmouth Militia Man Receives a  
Deserved Promotion

An appointment which is most pleasing to the members of the National Guard of this city is that of First Lieutenant I. H. Washburn of Company B of this city, who has been selected as regimental quartermaster with the rank of captain in the Second New Hampshire regiment.

Lieutenant Washburn was commissioned as second lieutenant on

March 10, 1900, and advanced to first lieutenant on Dec. 11, 1903. His work has deserved the promotion and his friends anticipate further advancement for him.

His place will be filled at the election next Tuesday night when Second Lieutenant Fred Harriman will undoubtedly be promoted to the vacancy and a selection made to fill the place of second lieutenant.

present they are putting the several hoses on the fireiron pier.

## Came Out of the Dry Dock

The gunboats Paducah and Marietta came out of the dry dock today after repairs of several weeks to the hulls and propellers.

The tug Patuxent will follow the gunboats in the dock.

## Examination at Mare Island

An examination for master electrician in the department of construction and repair at the Mare Island navy yard will be held Jan. 25. The examination is open to all officers and carries a salary of \$7.04 per diem.

## MUSTERED OUT

Carl Carty, Veteran of Civil War, Answers His Last Call

Carl Carty, a veteran of the civil war, died at his home at the Plains on Thursday after a short illness. He was born in Bordentown, N. J., in 1840. He enlisted Aug. 20, 1863, and was commissioned first lieutenant of Company M, Dec. 24, 1864. He reenlisted Dec. 25, 1863, leaving regiment June 21, 1865, because of the close of the war.

Since the war he has resided in this city and followed the trade of a stone mason. He was a member of Storer Post, Grand Army, and Gen. Gilman Marston Command, Union Veterans' Union.

He leaves a wife, a son, Charles, of New York, and a daughter, Mrs. Elsie King of Boston; also a sister, Mrs. Mary Norcross of Bordentown, N. J.

For some time he served as a sergeant of marines at the Portsmouth navy yard and was a man who had legions of friends and no enemies. He was an excellent mechanic and hard worker during the days of his active life.

## SUPPER AND SALE

Missionary Society of the Middle Street Baptist Church Entertain

The Missionary Society of the Middle street Baptist church held the regular supper and sale at the chapel on Thursday evening and despite the inclemency of the weather there was a large attendance at the supper.

A tempting menu was served and the sale also presented an attractive lot of goods.

## CELEBRATION AT KITTERY

Odd Fellows of That Town to Honor Thirty-Fifth Anniversary

The Odd Fellows of Kittery will observe the thirty-fifth anniversary of the lodge tonight with a roll call, supper and initiation. An effort has been made to locate every living member of the encampment for the occasion and the affair promises to be the most enjoyable in the history of this fraternal organization.

## THE SIDETRACK CLUB

Presents Traveling Apparatus to Member Going on a Journey

On Thursday evening a large number of the members of the Sidetrack Club gathered to tender a farewell reception to William McGinness, who left today for California. Joe Callaghan, known for his oratory many years in the town of Sanford, was the toastmaster of the occasion and made the hit of his life when he handed over a handsome dress suit case fully equipped for Bill's long journey, on behalf of the club. Bill was somewhat surprised but got together long enough to extend a well worded response in which he thanked the club and begged the toastmaster for his speech in print to read every day while riding through the wild West to the Pacific.

Several hours of merriment followed the presentation during which no end of talent appeared that put all up-to-date vaudeville combinations in corner for funny turns.

## PERSONALS

Louise, young daughter of F. D. Butler, is ill.

Mrs. E. M. Fisher is visiting her sister in New York.

Ex-Councilman W. J. Cater is in New York on business.

Landlord Pattee of the Rockingham has recovered from a week's illness.

Miss Laura E. Lowd is visiting her brother, William H. Lowd, in Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGinness left on the 8.15 train today on their trip to California.

Herbert Edson and family are to locate in Seattle, Wash., as soon as they close out their business here.

Arthur Downs of Boston is here today to attend the funeral of his nephew, Everett Downs of Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKenna of Parker street are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, which occurred on Thursday.

Roland C. Hoyt has gone to Washington in connection with his application for appointment as second lieutenant in the United States marine corps.

## BROWNTAIL MOTH BIDS

The bids for exterminating the browntail moths in the city were opened at City Hall today and the result was as follows:

Oscar Burke, \$1675.  
 H. J. Brooks, \$777.  
 Richard Buchanan, \$774.  
 Cobb Insect Co., \$2800.  
 Daniel F. Cronin, \$775.  
 H. L. Frost & Co., \$840.  
 W. P. Kirkpatrick, \$1490.  
 F. B. Shattuck, \$845.  
 Eugene Williams, \$830.  
 P. D. Shea, \$1230.

## THE NATIONAL HOTEL

Landlord Cummings Will Have It on  
High Street Soon

Landlord Cummings will name his hotel, which he is soon to open on High street, the National House.

This is a revival of the name of a noted hotel of Portsmouth. The former National House was burned Dec. 20, 1877. It was one of the best known hostilities in New England.

## PRINCES OF JERUSALEM

Local Scottish Rite Masons Hold Their Election

The annual meeting of Grand Council, Princes of Jerusalem, was held at Masonic Hall on Wednesday evening and the following officers were elected:

Sovereign Master, Frederick Watkins.  
 Deputy master, Charles C. Smith.  
 Senior warden, Albert R. Jenkins.  
 Junior warden, J. Frank Magraw.  
 Treasurer, Frank L. Pryor.  
 Secretary, James A. Rand.

## DRIVER RIDGE RESIGNS

Throws Up Job at Central Fire Station as Driver of Engine No. 3

Harry Ridge, for the past year driver of steamer No. 3 at the central fire station, has resigned the position to take effect on Saturday.

Thomas Stewart, spare driver, will fill the place for the present or until an appointment is made to it.



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100 27x60 inch Axminster Rugs at	2.25	worth 3.00
50 36x72 inch Axminster Rugs at	3.50	worth 4.50
20 4.6x7.6 foot Axminster Rugs at	8.25	worth 9.25

All of our 6x9, 8.3x10.6 and 9x12 Brussels, Axminster and Tapestry Rugs at the same discount.

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All short pieces of Matting up to 10 yd lengths at  
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